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D. Wayne Hedberg Minerals Reclamation Program Utah DNR Division of Oil, Gas and Mining 1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210 Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801

RE: M570002 Little Mountain Plant Annual Report for the Year 2000

Dear Wayne,

Attached is IMC's 2000 Annual Report of Mining Operations. Reclamation areas are unchanged.

Please refer questions to Mark Kaschmitter, environmental engineer (801) 732-3251.

Sincerely, one Beaumout

Eric Beaumont General Manager

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### ANNUAL REPORT OF MINING OPERATIONS

The informational requirements of this form are based on provisions of the Mined Land Reclamation Act, Title 40-8, Utah Code Annotated 1953, as amended, and the General Rules as promulgated under the Utah Minerals Regulatory Program. An operator conducting mining operations under a Notice of Intention must file an annual operations and progress report (FORM MR-AR) with the Division.

# I. General Information

- 1. Report Time Period: From (mo./yr) Jan. 2000 To (mo./yr.) Dec. 2000
- 2. DOGM File Number (Mine No): M/057/002
- 3. Mine Name: Little Mountain Plant IMC Kalium Ogden
- Minerals(s) Mined (or permitted to mine): <u>Salts, Salt Products</u>, and/or <u>Products</u>
   Derived From Salts
- 5. Type of Mine X Surface Mine
- Legal Description (Location of Lands Affected):
   Refer to DWG 800-11-05-019, DWG 800-11-05-020, DWG 101-01-05-036 & DWG 101-11-05-039
- 7. Name of Operator or Company: IMC Kalium Ogden Corp
- 8. Permanent Street Address: 765 North 10500 West

City, State Zip: Ogden, Utah 84404 Phone: (801) 731-3100

9. Company Representative (or designated operator):

Name: Eric Beaumont

Title: General Manager

Business Address: 765 North 10500 West

City, State, Zip: Ogden, Utah 84404

Phone: (801) 731-3100

Please check if any of the above information has changed since previous year.

# II. Mining and Reclamation

- 1. Was there any mine related activity during the past year? Yes X⊟ No □
- 2. If no what was the last year of activity?
- 3. If yes how much ore or mineral was mined? See 4.A.
- 4. Briefly describe the type of work performed, volume of material moved, and any new or additional surface disturbances that occurred during the past year.
  - A. Mineral extraction by solar evaporation is authorized by Royalty Agreement No. 19024 dated September 1, 1962. Minerals produced were approximately sulfate of potash = 245,000 tons, wet sodium chloride harvested= 1,240,000 tons, and magnesium chloride brine and flake = 330,000 tons. West Desert Pond Complex required dike repair in 2000 to protect the dikes against rising Great Salt Lake waters and divert rainwater away from stored brines.
- 5. How much additional acreage was disturbed during the past year? -0-
- 6. How much acreage was reclaimed during the past year? -0-
- 7. Briefly describe the reclamation work performed during the past year. This description should include methods employed, and an evaluation of the results.

  Natural growth of vegetation is returning to the borrow areas.
- 7. What is the total disturbed acreage at years end?

  <u>Surface evaporation ponds approximately 35,000 acres</u>

  <u>Rock borrow pits approximately 170 acres</u>
- 8. Briefly summarize any mining and/or reclamation plans for the upcoming year.

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  Great Salt Lake waters and divert rainwater away from stored brines.

## III. Additional Information

- An updated surface facilities map should be attached if there have been significant changes since the previous map was submitted.
- Any monitoring results or other reports that are required under the terms of the approved notice of intention should also be attached.

### IV. Signature Requirement

I	hereby	certify	that	the	foregoing	is	true	and	correct.
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Name (Typed or Print):	Eric Beaumont				
Title of Operator:	General Manager				
Signature of Operator:	Grec geaumant				
Date:	1/31/01				